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 Title: ) A METHOD OF ACQUIRING AN IMAGE OF A  
 ) NON-DERMATOGLYPHIC ZONE OF THE  
 ) SKIN OR OF A ZONE OF THE HAIR BY  
 ) MEANS OF ACQUISITION APPARATUS  
 ) INCLUDING A NON-OPTICAL SENSOR  
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